IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Bhabendra Pradhan

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FOR: "Improved Catalyst and Process to Produce Nanocarbon Materials in High Yield

and at High Selectivity at Reduced Reaction Temperatures"

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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 20, 2007. A shortened statutory period was set to expire 3 months from the date of the Office Action, making a response due by November 20, 2007. Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response for two months to January 20, 2008. Please charge the two month extension of time fee of \$460 to Deposit Account No. 50-0694. Applicant is submitting this response in order to place the case in condition for Allowance or appeal.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the application as follows: